

December 30, 2024

John Terry New Elk Coal Company, LLC 12250 Highway 12 Weston, CO 81091

Re: Lorencito Canyon Mine, C-1996-084 Maintenance Items Abatement Deadline Extension Request Approval

Dear Mr. Terry,

On December 26, 2024, the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety received your request for an extension to the corrective action deadline for the outstanding maintenance items cited in 2024 inspection reports at the Lorencito Canyon Mine. The decision date has been extended from December 31, 2024 to **January 31, 2025**.

If you have any questions, please contact me at 720-836-0967 or at amber.gibson@state.co.us.

Sincerely,

Amber M. Gibson Environmental Protection Specialist

Ec: Jared Ebert, DRMS Frank Kirby, Lightfoot Resources LLC

